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**OWNERS OF LOCAL RESTAURANT PLEAD GUILTY
TO EMPLOYING ILLEGAL ALIENS**

David L. Huber, United States Attorney for the Western District of Kentucky, announced today that **HAU YEUNG**, aged 35, and his wife, **JUAN BIN YEUNG**, aged 34, both of 3812 Spring Willow Court, Louisville, Kentucky, **pled guilty** to illegally employing illegal aliens.

Both **Yeungs** admitted that from on or about and between February 7, 2005, and February 7, 2006, for the purpose of commercial advantage and private financial gain, they knowingly employed at least 10 illegal aliens, knowing that the aliens had come to, entered, and remained in the United States illegally.

Between January 2005 and February 7, 2006, officers observed suspicious activity occurring at the Jumbo Buffet Chinese Restaurant located at 2731 Hurstbourne Parkway in Louisville. Investigation revealed that workers at the restaurant, who appeared to be foreign born, were transported from a residence located on Lantern Lite Parkway to the restaurant in a secretive way, and workers were not listed as required on the Wage File Data.

If convicted, the maximum potential penalties are 5 years imprisonment, a \$ 250,000 fine, and supervised release for a period of 3 years.

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The case was prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Madison T. Sewell, and investigated by the Louisville Metro Police Department and the Bureau of Immigration and Customs Enforcement.

The plea was entered before James Moyer, Magistrate Judge, United States District Court, Louisville, Kentucky.

Sentencing dates for **Hau Yeung** and **Juan Bin Yeung** before Judge John G. Heyburn II has not been scheduled.

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